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[SENATE FILE No. 335.—HIGHWAYS.]

A BILL

FOR AN ACT TO PREVENT THE BREAKING DOWN AND INJURING OF BRIDGES
AND CULVERTS ON PUBLIC HIGHWAYS BY MOVING STEAM ENGINES OF
ANY KIND, CORN MILLS, CANE MILLS, SAW MILLS AND THRESHING
MACHINES.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. All persons owning, controlling, operating or managing threshing machines,
2 cane mills, corn mills, saw mills, and steam engines of any kind, are required in moving the
3 same over the public highways to lay down planks not less than one foot wide, three inches
4 in thickness and of sufficient length, on the floors of all bridges and culverts situated on the
5 public highways while crossing the same, for the wheels of said threshing machines, corn
6 mills, cane mills, saw mills, and engines of any kind to run on ; provided, that this section
7 shall not apply to any such mills or engines not exceeding one ton in weight. Any person
8 violating the provision of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall upon con-
9 viction thereof be fined in a sum not exceeding the sum of one hundred dollars, and shall
10 also be liable for all damages resulting from such violation.